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Applicants: Hernandez et al.

Title:

CANTILEVER SUPPORTED

VEHICLE SEAT AND SYSTEM

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed September 10, 2004, in the above-identified application, transmitted herewith are the missing parts to complete the filing of the subject patent application.

#### Enclosed are:

- [X] Return Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts (2 pages).
- [X] Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (6 pages).

Any attached specification is a copy of the specification and any amendments thereto which were filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in order to obtain a filing date for the application.

- [X] Copy of specification as filed (22 pages), (8 drawing sheets with Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12) (30 total pages).
- [X] Petition Pursuant To 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) (2 pages).
- [X] Statement Of Facts For Petition Pursuant To 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) (2 pages), including Exhibit To Statement Of Facts (1 page) (3 total pages).

- [X] Transmittal Of Formal Drawings (1 page).
- [X] Formal Drawings (8 sheets).
- [X] Request For Corrected Filing Receipt (2 pages).
- [X] Copy of official Filing Receipt (2 pages).
- [X] Supplemental Application Data Sheet (6 pages).
- [X] Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 (2 pages).
- [X] Form PTO/SB/08 (1 page) listing one (1) reference.
- [ ] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[	]	Extension	for response	filed	within	the	first month	
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- [ ] Extension for response filed within the fifth month

The filing fee is calculated below:

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	as Filed		in		Claims				Fee	
			Basic		•		Rate		Totals	
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Basic Fee							\$790.00		\$0.00	
Total Claims:	44	-	20	=	24	x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00	
Independ ents:	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$88.00	=	\$0.00	
If any Multiple Dependent Claim(s) present: + \$300.00 =									\$0.00	
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1447.

Respectfully submitted,

Date 1/-09-04

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### TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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ATTENTION: DRAWING REVIEW BRANCH

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the formal drawings (8 sheets, Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12) for the above-identified application. The Official Draftsperson is respectfully requested to approve these drawings for entry into the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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# NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

#### Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 1-12.

### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

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